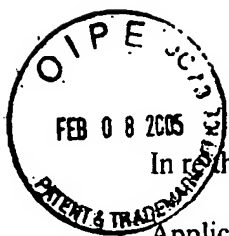


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In re the Application of : NAKAJIMA et al.  
Application No. : 10/049,438 Art Unit: 1713  
Filed : May 30, 2002 Examiner: LEE, Rip A.  
Docket No. : 11197/7 Customer No.: 23838  
For : A POLYESTER POLYMERIZATION CATALYST,  
POLYESTER PRODUCED BY USING THE SAME,  
AND A PROCESS FOR PRODUCING POLYESTER

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**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of December 8, 2004, please amend the application as follows.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3.

Remarks begin on page 9.

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